Ohio Parenting and Pregnancy Program Grant <u>APPENDIX A</u> <u>TECHNICAL APPLICATION</u>

<u>Instructions</u>: Applicants are to fully complete this application and submit it with any additional required documents to be officially deemed the applicant's submitted response. Applicants may replicate this application in order to provide necessary responses; however, no application text may be altered or the applicant may risk disqualification.

Application Cover Page

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DUNS Number:	175897102			
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Name of Signature Authority:	Mary Ellen Andersen			
Title of Signature Authority:	President & CEO			
E-mail Address of Signature Authority:				

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Mandatory Applicant Qualifications

In order to be considered for the grant expected to result from this RFGA, ODJFS requires that interested applicants MUST meet, at minimum, ALL the following qualification requirements. Applicants who do not meet the following requirements shall not be considered for any grant award.

- 1. Applicants MUST provide evidence that they are a private not-for-profit organization by submitting a copy of their organization's current and valid not-for-profit 501©(3) tax status determination letter from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). Please attach this document with your agency's application submission.
- 2. Applicants MUST demonstrate that they have a physical location or office in the state of Ohio. Please provide your agency's office location.
- 3. Applicants MUST sign the Program Assurances affirmation page of this application and include it in their application submission.
- 4. Applicants MUST identify and assign one key staff person [to serve as **Program Lead**] who can demonstrate a minimum of two (2) years of experience operating in areas of family planning or other services such as abortion prevention services, childbirth promotion, parenting development and/or adoption assistance and also resides in the state of Ohio. Applicant must provide an affirmation that the Program Lead resides in Ohio [Do Not provide Program Lead's home address]. Profile and resume must be included for the Program Lead.

Organizational Experience and Capabilities (Response should be no more than 2 pages in total for items 5-6)

5. Clearly identify the indicators of your agency's effectiveness, quality and outcomes achieved for similar program. And if the desired outcomes were not met, include an explanation of the lessons learned and how those obstacles were corrected.

Catholic Charities is known throughout the Diocese of Youngstown for providing quality, professional services for children, adults, and families. Catholic Charities' First Step programs offered in all six counties of the diocese (Ashtabula, Columbiana, Mahoning, Portage, Stark and Trumbull) provide material assistance and case management services to low-income pregnant women and families with children ages 0-3. The goals of the First Step program are as follows:

- To meet clients' immediate needs for food, formula, diapers, and other items essential for the health and well-being of children ages 0-3;
- To offer a limited number of cribs, car seats, and other items (as available) to ensure the safety of children ages 0-3;
- To supplement material assistance with case management services to help clients transition from dependency to financial self-sufficiency;
- To provide information on adoption services and to assist with the development of an adoption plan as necessary;
- To offer supportive services for clients who choose to parent their children;
- To strengthen families by providing life-affirming services and information.

In 2013, Catholic Charities' First Step Programs in the Diocese of Youngstown served 6,952 unduplicated clients (1,913 households), approximately 60% of whom were children. The majority of those helped received material assistance. A lesser number of clients received case management services due to lack of available staff. Case management services are extended on a selective basis to either those with the capacity and desire to become self-sufficient, or those in such dire situations that intervention is necessary to ensure well-being. Catholic Charities has enlisted volunteers to help with the material resources component of the First Step program so that professional case workers can spend more time talking to clients and working with them on a plan for greater self-sufficiency. In 2013, a total of 17 First Step Program volunteers provided Catholic Charities with 137 hours of assistance.

Since the early 1900s, Catholic Charities has been involved with foster care and adoption services. Although more women today are choosing to parent their children with or without a partner, Catholic Charities continues to maintain an adoption license for those interested in affirming life through adoption. Catholic Charities offers the following adoption services: one-on-one consultation; home study; infant adoption training; international adoption assistance; adoption search; foster parent training; information, referral and advocacy. In 2013, Catholic Charities facilitated 18 step-parent/relative adoption placements.

Another often overlooked alternative to abortion, and to pregnancy, is sexual abstinence. Catholic Charities has been providing abstinence education in local schools for about 15 years. In 2013, Catholic Charities provided 254 group sessions to about 4,000 sixth grade, junior high and high school students. The message of this multi-intervention effort

is that abstinence is the only certain way to avoid out-of-wedlock pregnancy and sexually transmitted diseases.

Catholic Charities also offers parenting skills training in order to prevent child abuse and neglect through the development of positive parent-child relationships. The trainings stress the importance of cooperation, encouragement, responsibility, good communication skills and discipline as effective parenting tools. In 2013, Catholic Charities provided parenting skills training to almost 2,000 people, the overwhelming majority of whom were single women age 18 and over.

Recognizing the importance of providing parenting skills to young parents with little family/social support, Catholic Charities began to pilot a project called "Opening Doors" which provides at-risk parents with a 10-week course in parenting. Catholic Charities is interested in duplicating this program in several areas of the diocese to meet the growing demand for parenting support and education.

- 6. Describe your agency's length and depth of experience providing services in the following areas (minimum of 2 years in each):
 - a. Family planning or other services: Catholic Charities has been providing abstinence-based education in schools nearly 15 years. The program is staffed by an individual with a Bachelor's degree in Christian Social Ministry, and a Sexual Risk Avoidance Specialist Certification. Catholic Charities utilizes the *Responsible Social Values Program* curriculum for middle school and junior high school students, and the *For Keeps* curriculum for high school students. Both are evidence-based and medically accurate. About 4,000 students were served in 2013.
 - b. Abortion prevention services and childbirth promotion: Catholic Charities has been providing adoption services and counseling for those facing an unplanned pregnancy since before the 1950s. Catholic Charities addresses the spectrum of need in this area, from women facing unplanned pregnancies through preparing for birth or making an adoption plan to parenting skills training for parents with little family/social support.
 - c. Parenting development and/or adoption assistance: Catholic Charities has been offering parenting skills training for over 20 years, beginning with three-part informational programs on a particular topic, such as discipline or stages of development. Catholic Charities continued to expand the series into regularly scheduled informational sessions on various parenting topics. Presenters included community experts and social service professionals. Incentives were sometimes provided to those who attended a certain number of sessions. In 2013, a total of 1,765 people participated in Catholic Charities' parenting skills opportunities.

Key Staff Experience and Capabilities

Profiles and resumes must easily identify how the applicant's assigned key staff meet the required experience and capabilities for this program. Profiles and resumes must also be included for all persons proposed for key positions. (Responses should be no more than 8 pages in toal for Items 7-10, not including key staff resumes.)

7. Identify and assign a key staff member as **Program Outcome Manager** to be responsible for ensuring that the applicant's proposed planned uses of funding (i.e., increase number served, provide new or expanded services, expand geographical area served, or other relevant use of funding) have been successfully accomplished and provided. The **Program Outcome Manager** should have at least one (1) year of experience in working in areas of family planning or other services such as abortion prevention services, childbirth promotion, parenting development, and/or adoption assistance. Note: The applicant's Program Outcome Manager may also serve as Program Lead; however, the applicant must demonstrate that the assigned key staff person meets the minimum required experience for both roles.

Program Outcome Manager: Mary Ellen Andersen, President & CEO Diocese of Youngstown Catholic Charities Corp.

8. Identify and assign a key staff member as **Fiscal Specialist** to be responsible for preparing the monthly invoices and ensuring adherence to the fiscal policies and procedures, and preparing any additional reports as necessary. The **Fiscal Specialist** should have at least one (1) year of experience in working with fiscal program and/or systems.

Fiscal Specialist: Vince Mediate, MBA, CPA

9. Identify and assign at least one key staff member as **Case Worker** to be responsible for coordinating care, resources and services for individual or family participants that will provide services to promote childbirth and parenting. The **Case Worker** should have at least one (1) year of experience in working in areas of family planning or other family services that promote parenting, two parent families or family intervention services.

Case Workers: Roberta Christofaris, LSW, Case Manager

Taunya Fuller, LSW, Social Worker Cari Guiley, LSW, Case Manager

Pamela Richcreek, Family Services Caseworker

Valerie Thomas, LSW, Case Manager Devon Yates, Family Services Caseworker

10. Identify, by position and name, any additional support staff your agency considers key to the program's success located within the service providers' office. Provide a list of key staff, their relevant education and work experience (including the subject and duration) and the duties they will perform under this program.

Ann Brandt – Ann is the Program Manager for Catholic Charities Regional Agency. She is responsible for supervision, development, implementation and evaluation of program area goals, policies and procedures. Along with those duties, Ann supervises program staff, assures program compliance and quality of service delivery, provides for orientation and ongoing training for program staff, conducts periodic staff meetings,

complete requested reports, and monitors all license regulations for the various programs. Ann holds a Bachelor's degree in Education from Westminster College, a Master's in Education with a major in Community Counseling from Youngstown State University and a Master's in Educational Administration from Arizona State University. Ann is also Licensed as a Professional Clinical Counselor and Supervisor in the State of Ohio. Ann has been employed with Catholic Charities Regional Agency since November 2012.

Christina Erb – Christina is the Fiscal Coordinator for Catholic Charities of Ashtabula County. She is to perform the day to day functions associated with coordinating and supervising the fiscal operations of the Agency; managing the accounting of all the agency assets and liabilities; assisting the Executive Director with research and development of budgets for the total agency as well as individual grants, contracts and allocation proposals; making recommendations for the effective, efficient utilization of operations and funds; managing benefits and ensuring successful audits. Christina holds a Bachelor of Business Administration; major in Accounting, and has been with the Agency since January, 2001.

Margaret Fisher – Meg is the Finance Director for Catholic Charities Regional Agency. She performs the day to day functions associated with coordinating and supervising the fiscal operations of the Agency; prepares financial statements and reports; manages the daily cash flow; completes budgeting and grant administration; manages payroll; assists with event planning and fundraising; and ensures successful audits. Meg holds a Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration with a major in Accounting and Economics from Youngstown State University; a Master's degree in Organizational Leadership from Geneva College; and has been with the Agency since October 2010.

Mary Meranda – Mary provides fiscal support and is responsible for the entering and maintaining the accounts receivable system, tracking and processing employee benefits, processing and preparing payroll, and assisting in the preparation of reports and cost analysis for grants. Mary holds a Bachelor of Science in Education and has been with the Agency since September, 2012.

Jill Valentic – Jill is the Assistant Director for Catholic Charities of Ashtabula County. She is responsible for assisting the Executive Director in all aspects of daily activities by aiding in the planning and implementation of program area goals, policies and procedures. Along with those duties, Jill is the supervisor for the Family Services, First Step, and Abstinence Education Programs. Prior to her position as the Assistant Director, Jill served as the Protective Services supervisor overseeing the Guardianship Program and Representative Payeeship Program. Jill holds a Business Administration degree from Georgian Court University and is in the process of earning her Master's in Social Work from Case Western Reserve University. Jill has been employed with Catholic Charities of Ashtabula County since February, 2005.

<u>Important:</u> It is the affirmative responsibility of the organization submitting the application to remove all personal confidential information (such as home addresses and social security numbers) of the organization's staff and/or of any subcontractor and subcontractor staff from resumes or any other part of the application package.

Mary Ellen Andersen

Work Experience:

<u>Director of Social Services, Diocese of Youngstown</u>

<u>President/CEO, Diocese of Youngstown Catholic Charities Corporation (DOYCCC)</u>

1993 – Present
1999 – Present

- Coordinates the delivery of Catholic social services throughout the Diocese of Youngstown.
- Works with Executive Director and DOYCCC Budget Committee in the preparation and analysis of budgets for the offices and programs funded by Catholic Charities.
- Provides expertise in program development and evaluation.
- Collaborates with the Executive Director to help establish, implement, and evaluate a strategic plan for Catholic Charities' service delivery.
- Assists in the development of marketing and public relations materials.
- Supervises special events and fundraising, as well as management of grants.
- As President/CEO,
 - Attends meetings of the Boards of Directors of Catholic Charities affiliate agencies regularly to maintain communication about the mission, goals and services of Catholic Charities throughout the diocese.
 - Assists the agency Boards of Directors in developing a deeper understanding of the purpose and role of a Catholic Charities agency and the key indicators of quality service, which must characterize services offered in the name of the Catholic Church to those in need.
 - O Utilizes group and organizational skills to facilitate regular meetings of the affiliated agency executive directors, encouraging collaborative efforts to achieve Catholic Charities' mission and goals.
 - Applies understanding of sound social work practice and research, accreditation standards, and state licensing requirements for professions to mentor and monitor the agencies in community needs assessment, effective service delivery and program evaluation.

Executive Director, Family & Community Services of Catholic Charities of Portage County 1990 – 1993

Administered a three-quarter million dollar budget and implemented the following programs:

- Family counseling for adults and children, as well as marriage therapy.
- Emergency assistance with cash, clothing, furniture and referrals, as well as a hot meal program serving over 25,000 meals per year.
- Consumer Credit Counseling Services for fiscal management and debt consolidation.
- Domestic violence shelter and services, including legal assistance and advocacy for victims.
- Retired Senior Volunteer Program to involve senior citizens in productive non-profit volunteer efforts.

Executive Director, Catholic Service League, Ashtabula, Ohio 1986 – 1990

- Supervised and served the agency in several capacities, including the creation of the Director of Community Services position.
- Developed programming in financial counseling through Consumer Credit Counseling; housing counseling through the Department of Housing and Urban Development, and clinical treatment for troubled youth in cooperation with the County Juvenile Court.
- Provided adoption, foster care, and emergency financial assistance to needy families.

<u>Teacher</u>, <u>English and Reading</u>, remedial and gifted students 1982 – 1986

- Mother of Sorrows School, Ashtabula, Ohio (Grades 5-8)
- Conneaut High School, Conneaut, Ohio (Grades 10-12)

Education and Leadership Development

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- Bachelor of Arts: Communications Gannon University, Erie, Pennsylvania, 1982.
- Master's Certificate, Religious Education Diocese of Youngstown, Youngstown, Ohio, 1983.
- Master of Science, Clinical Counseling Gannon University, Erie Pennsylvania, 1988.
- Mandel School for Non-Profit Administration Case Western Reserve University, 1989-1990.
- Catholic Charities USA Leadership Institute, 1990.
- Catholic Charities USA Advanced Leadership Institute, 1998.
- Chairperson, Catholic Charities USA Committee on Economic Justice for Women, 1996-1998.
- Chairperson, Catholic Conference of Ohio Department of Social Concerns, 1997 1999.
 - Liaison for Ohio New Covenant Convening, 1996
- Member, State of Ohio Governor's Task Force on Faith-Based Initiatives, 2002 2003
- Villa Maria Residential Services Board, 2005 2014
- Mendoza College of Business University of Notre Dame, 2009 2011
 - o Certificate on Mission-Based Leadership and Organizational Development
- Vice Chairperson, Catholic Charities USA Executive Council of Diocesan Directors, 2013 Present

Recent Trainings

- National Association of Social Workers, Ohio Chapter Columbus, Ohio, 2011
 - Social Work Ethics; Social Work Practice in an Age of Information, Texting and Tweeting and Social Networking
- Autism/Asperger's Conference, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, 2012

Volunteer Service

- Hospice Volunteer/Bereavement Counselor, 1981 1989
- Various Community Boards and Parish Committees

Mary Ellen (Meg) Andersen

Mary Ellen (Meg) Andersen is the Director of Social Services for Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Youngstown and the President/CEO of the Diocese of Youngstown Catholic Charities Corporation. She received her Bachelor of Arts degree in communications from Gannon University in Erie, Pennsylvania, where she later earned her Master of Science degree in clinical counseling. After a seven year career administering social services for local Catholic Charities agencies in Ashtabula and Portage Counties in northeastern Ohio, Meg accepted the position of Director of Social Services for the Diocese of Youngstown. In this position, she provides administrative oversight for the delivery of social services throughout the entire six-county diocese. After Bishop Thomas J. Tobin restructured Catholic Charities to a Member governance model in 1999, Meg was appointed President and CEO of the Diocese of Youngstown Catholic Charities Corporation.

Meg currently serves as the vice-chairperson of Catholic Charities USA's Executive Council of Diocesan Directors. This Council provides input, coordination, and planning between Catholic Charities USA's office and Catholic Charities agencies across the country. She has served on various Catholic Charities USA committees and task forces in her tenure with Catholic Charities, and has participated in various professional development opportunities, including a collaborative venture co-sponsored by Catholic Charities USA and the Mendoza College of Business at the University of Notre Dame entitled, *From Mission to Service: A Program on Mission-based Leadership and Organizational Development.*

Throughout her career, Meg has been particularly passionate about issues impacting women and children. She has provided counseling to women facing unplanned pregnancies, maintained successful adoption programs in the local Catholic Charities agencies she has served, and advocated for victims of domestic violence. She continues to collaborate with Catholic Charities leadership on solutions to eradicate poverty by empowering and supporting women in their journey to economic self-sufficiency.

Vince Mediate, MBA, CPA

EXPERIENCE

2009 <u>Youngstown State University</u> – Instructor, part-time To Financial Accounting 2602 and Managerial Accounting 2603 present ETI Technical College, Niles, OH, Instructor, part-time Payroll & Payroll Tax Accounting, Fundamentals of Taxation, Accounting 2, Managerial Accounting 1996 Vince Mediate, MBA, CPA - Owner - perform accounting, tax, payroll, personnel, consulting, and part-time Controller services for to present business clients and non-profits. Prepare business and personal tax returns. Hire, train, supervise, and evaluate employees and interns. 1993 Ply-Trim Enterprises, Inc. – Wholesale, retail, manufacturer of building products. Controller – report to Vice President. Maintain general ledgers to 1997 and produce monthly financial statements for seven companies. Control inventory and cash management. Establish, manage, and audit policies and procedures. Supervise staff. Interface with outside professionals on related financial and administrative matters (i.e. auditors, attorneys, bankers, insurance agents, etc.). Provide budgets, forecasts, etc. 1991 Yurchyk & Davis, CPAs – Perform tax, audit, management advisory, and other client-related services, such as strategic and financial planning and to

EDUCATION

1992

MBA, Youngstown State University, 1994

financial statement preparation and analysis.

Cum Laude Graduate

Major: Business Management

BS, Youngstown State University, 1982 Major: Business Administration – Accounting Minors: Economics, Management, Marketing

LICENSE

Certified Public Accountant, 1992

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

American Institute of CPAs, Ohio Society of CPAs, Institute of Management Accountants, YSU Alumni Association

Vince Mediate

BIO:

Vince Mediate grew up in Ohio. After college, he spent 5 years in Dallas, Texas before returning to Ohio and starting his own accounting firm in 1996. He enjoys working with a variety of clients and providing a complete array of business services. He also enjoys teaching, reading, golf, travel, and spending time with his wife and 3 young children.

ROBERTA CHRISTOFARIS

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Licensed social worker experienced in providing family support services to families with young children (0-6 years of age). Early childhood intervention techniques and parental education include the primary domains of language/intellectual/social/emotional/ and physical development.

CORE QUALIFICATIONS

- Client based needs assessment
- Able to provide parenting information in both informal and formal class settings
- Knowledgeable regarding developmentally appropriate parenting practices
- Experienced in using early childhood assessment tools
- Evaluative skills for further professional referrals
- Utilize positive parenting approach

EXPERIENCE

CATHOLIC CHARITIES SERVING PORTAGE & STARK COUNTIES

Ravenna, Ohio

Case Manager of First Step Pregnancy and Family Support

04/2012 to Current

This program offers material assistance to families with young children including diapers, wipes, clothing, blankets, coats, and more. Parenting information and case management is also provided as needed.

CHILDREN'S ADVANTAGE

Ravenna, Ohio

Early Childhood In-Home Counselor

08/2011 to 04/2012

Provided community based mental health and case management services to families with children under seven years of age

COMMUNITY ACTION COUNCIL OF PORTAGE COUNTY

Ravenna, Ohio

Parent Educator/ Home Visitor

08/2003 to 07/2011

Taught classroom based and in-home parenting classes to families with young children

EDUCATION

BACHELOR OF ARTS: PSYCHOLOGY

Kent State University, Kent, Ohio

Roberta Christofaris, LSW

June 30, 2014

Professional Biography: I have been practicing as a Licensed Social Worker with a focus in early childhood for over ten years. This experience includes teaching developmentally appropriate activities and parenting techniques which encourage and enhance positive outcomes. Consultations and assessments have been conducted both in-home and within agency settings, all with a preventive and client-centered emphasis.

TAUNYA M. FULLER, LSW

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

07/2011-Present

Social Worker, Catholic Charities Regional Agency-Youngstown, Ohio

Responsibilities: Provide social work service geared to pregnancy and adoption support, parent education and family strengthening, crisis response, counseling for pregnancy loss and post-abortion reconciliation. Provide social work service geared to grief, bereavement and loss. Connects the homeless and low income persons to community resources to obtain health-care services, housing, transportation etc. Build partnerships and collaboration with other programs, agencies, parishes and other interested parties. Provides educational presentations and outreach to the community and existing support groups and services for specific populations. Completes intakes and assessments as referred. Provides crisis intervention.

05/2008- 07/2011

Social Worker, Southern Care- Austintown, OH

Responsibilities: Provide assistance with applications for Supplemental Security Income, Hospice Medicaid, Medicaid Waiver, obtain resources from community social, health, pharmaceutical and welfare agencies. Participate in the development of an individual care plan/ discharge plan with other members of the interdisciplinary care team; communicate with other team members, health care providers, community agencies, etc. in an effort to solve problems of patients/families as permitted by confidentiality. Determine psychosocial assessment of patient needs and provide social, psychological, bereavement care, counseling, financial, cultural and family situation services and support for patients/families. Complete spiritual assessment and request spiritual support for patients/families as needed.

03/2000-05/2008

Case manager, Burdman Group, Inc.- Youngstown, OH

Responsibilities: Conducted Diagnostic Assessments of new referrals or reviewed Diagnostic Assessment completed by Intake Worker. Completed personal needs and family assessments of Welfare-to-Work clients. Referred clients out for community services based on their needs. Collaborated with DJFS case managers/mentors. Referred clients for vocational assessments. Monitored and evaluated ongoing services, needs, and client compliance with assessment plan, job readiness, employment plan, and hardship requirements. Advocated for clients with community agencies. Maintained case record notes. Organized and conducted monthly educational group seminars for clients.

09/1998-02/2000

Service Coordinator, Family Service Agency- Youngstown, OH

Responsibilities: Responsible for locating families of children birth to three years of age who may be eligible for early intervention services. Provided coordination of services and follow up services for families. Provided transition assistance for children at age three. Cooperatively worked with other early intervention providers. Kept client documentation. Referred to other community resources that would provide assistance to meet child and family needs.

07/1997-09/1998

Judicial Advocate, Family Service Agency- Youngstown, OH

Responsibilities: Responsible for coordinating of volunteers: recruiting, hiring, training, and scheduling of volunteers. Worked cooperatively with police departments and prosecutor's offices to keep clients informed of dates and other necessary information. Accompanied and supported clients through criminal justice system. Kept documentation of all activities. Assisted victims in crisis situations either via the phone or hospital emergency rooms. Referred to other community resources that would provide assistance to meet client needs.

EDUCATION

06/1997

Youngstown State University- Youngstown, OH Bachelor of Arts Degree/ Social Work, LSW

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

05/1998-Present

President- H.O.W.- Helping Other Women, Support group for women, "Operation off the Floor"

2000-Present 2000-Present 2005- Present Licensed Missionary Youth Church Leader Volunteer at Rescue Mission

BIO for Taunya Fuller

Taunya Fuller, a licensed Social Worker was born in Youngstown, Ohio. She graduated high school and attended Youngstown State University obtaining her Bachelor's of Art degree in Social Work.

Before obtaining her degree in Social Work, Taunya worked in a hospital setting for many years, working in various capacities within the hospital setting. After obtaining her degree, Taunya has worked with many community agencies working with a variety of the community's population helping to meet varying needs.

Taunya is actively involved within her community working as a volunteer.

Taunya and her husband have five children, one of whom was adopted.

Cari Guiley, LSW

First Step Case Manager

Catholic Charities Serving Portage and Stark Counties

Profile

Professional and dedicated individual with experience working with families and youth in promoting healthy individuals and relationships.

Education

1997: B. A. - Social Work

Malone College - Canton, OH

1993: B.A. - Liberal Arts

Malone College - Canton, OH

Work Experience:

2013-Present: First Step Case Manager, Catholic Charities Serving Portage and Stark Counties
Provides material assistance and light case management to families with children through
age three. Offers guidance and support to diverse populations within the community.
Works with individuals and families to promote and facilitate self-sufficiency.

2008-2013: Substitute Teacher/Middle School Track Coach, Louisville City Schools
Substitute teacher in Louisville City Schools. Worked as the assistant and head coach for the Middle School Track Team.

2013: Home Instead Senior Care

Provided non-medical care to senior citizens.

2009: Growing Minds

Provided one on one counseling to juveniles who resided in a group home environment.

2000-2013: First Friends Church

Seasonal work with youth through coaching youth sports. Provided care and supervised nursery program.

1998-2000: Team Leader, Siffrin Residential Association

Provided coordination of individuals plans of service. Directly supervised all staff assigned to TL, and maintained records. Reviewed, updated, and revised home procedures to maintain compliance with required standards.

1993-1998: Team Support Specialist, Siffrin Residential Association

Responsible for assisting developmentally disabled adults with daily care and tasks, organizing activities, implementing programs, and cultivating individuals' skills.

Skills

- *LSW Certified
- *Certified CRP/First Aid
- *Certified Coaching Endorsement
- *Seasonal and Sub-contract jobs involving youth activities.

Cari Guiley Bio

Guiley graduated from Malone College in Canton, Ohio and graduated in 1993 with Liberal Arts degree in Social Science/Physical Education. She returned to Malone and completed a Social Work degree in 1996, and soon after received her LSW.

Guiley joined the staff at Catholic Charities Serving Portage and Stark Counties in 2012 as First Step Case Manager. In this position, Guiley works directly with parents of children (ages 3 and under) by providing guidance, support, and material assistance to build parenting skills, and to promote self-sufficiency among her clients. She has facilitated many special and seasonal programs as well. Prior to joining Catholic Charities, Guiley worked in the Mental health field MR/DD and Mental illness, from direct care to management for many years.

Guiley has been an active volunteer in many areas over the years. She currently resides in Louisville, Oh with her three children and also works as the Louisville Middle and High School Track Coach and as a substitute teacher with the Louisville Local School District.

PAMELA M. RICHCREEK

Objective

To pursue a career in social services to assist people in need

EXPERIENCE

Catholic Charities of Ashtabula County

Family Services Caseworker, 1998 - Present

- Responsible for providing direct case management in the Family Services Program area, including housing counseling and financial literacy education
- Responsible for developing and building relationships with other social service networks within the county
- Responsible for coordinating and compiling required reports
- Responsible for coordinating special projects as necessary
- Recruiting, training and developing volunteers as needed
- Public Speaking

CTI Audio, Inc.

Executive Secretary/Administrative Assistant/Personnel, 1997- 1998

- Preparing E.O.M. Reports
- Maintaining personnel files and time cards
- Employment Screening
- Benefits Administration

Charles N. Lafferty, Attorney at Law

Legal Secretary/Office Manager, 1990-1996

- Fulfill supervisory responsibilities over office support staff
- Preparation of all Court Documents, forms and pleadings
- Scheduling and Purchasing

Future Controls Corporation

Secretary, 1988-1990

Accounts Payable and Receivable, bookkeeping and inventory control

Education

Kent State University
Associate Degree of Human Services Technology, 2006
Associate Degree of Office Management, 1989
Associate Degree of Business Management, 1988

Certifications

Certified Consumer Credit Counselor 2006 Certified Counselor Educator in Personal Finance 2010

PAM RICHCREEK - BIO

Pam Richcreek has been employed for the past sixteen years with Catholic Charities of Ashtabula County. She is married with one minor child. Attending Kent State University, she is currently in senior status working on a Bachelor's Degree in Psychology with a minor in Criminal Justice Studies. Pam's Personal mission coincides with the Agency's mission, and she hopes to continue working on personal growth and continued education.

Valerie L. Thomas

EDUCATION: Bachelor of Arts – Social Work Youngstown State University

AH National Certification in Nonprofit Management and Leadership

Youngstown State University ~ October 29, 2010

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:

Catholic Charities Regional Agency Youngstown, Ohio 2007-present

- Case manager 2007 to present
- Managed programs to assist families in poverty
- Assist clients in need of housing with HUD Grant
- Provide case management services to prevent homelessness

Northeast Ohio Adoption Services Warren, Ohio 1997-2007

- Project manager
- Permanency Planning Specialist
- Supervise adoptive and foster families

Family Service Agency

Youngstown, Ohlo

1985-1995

- Provide individual and group counsaling for at risk youth
- Supervise staff
- Direct parents group meetings
- License and supervise families providing foster care

OTHER CERTIFICATIONS:

State of Ohio Licensed Social Worker
State of Ohio Adoption Assessor
Certifled Surrogate Parent (Advocate for students receiving special education services)

Valerie Thomas has been in the field of Social Services for 33 years. My work experiences have included: day care administrator, outreach worker, adoption assessor and trainer for adoptive & foster parents, case management services to prevent homelessness and case manager to families with infants. I am a volunteer surrogate parent (advocate for students in special education). In 2010 I received the American Humanities National Certificate in Nonprofit Management and Leadership. My priority is to improve the lives of children by encouraging and teaching parents to end their cycle of abuse, neglect and poverty.

Devon Yates

Experience –

2014- Present Catholic Charities of Ashtabula County, Ashtabula, OH

- Working within the financial boundaries of the funding available while developing rapport with supervisor and co-workers.
- Developed and helped build relationships with other appropriate entities in the county for networking and referral purposes.
- Ensured that all program reporting requirements are completed in an accurate and timely manner.
- Helped implement Family Services Program area policies and procedures.
- Assisted in the development of and compliance with quality assurance standards of the Family Services Program.
- Ensured the highest degree of achievement and performance in the Family
 Services Program

2012- Present Family Pride of N.E. Ohio Chardon, Ohio

- Assists youth in mentorship, skill building, and communication skills on a weekly basis.
- Worked with High School to Elementary Students on a weekly basis, focused on displaying appropriate behavior and anger management skills.
- Went in home to work on family issues, and coping skills to deal with stress and dysfunction in the household.

010- 2012 Signature Health Ashtabula, Ohio

Assisted clients in the community with education on skills to improve independence along with education on entitlements and assistance available in county.

- Advocated for clients with agencies in the community to help with improving overall life, in regards to finances, and benefits.
- Office work that included Microsoft Word and PowerPoint.
- Organized and conducted group meetings of 20 30 people on a weekly basis.

2006 – 2010 Saybrook Fire Department Ashtabula, Ohio Dispatcher

- Received work orders and tenders from superiors and dispatched them to personnel.
- Maintained continuous communication channels with supervisors and workers to sort their work related issues and doubts.
- Estimated workforce requirement and equipment needed to complete particular projects.

2006-2007 Community Care Ambulance Ashtabula, Ohio Wheel Chair Tech/ Dispatcher

- Assisted with scheduling and transporting clients to destinations in Northeast

 Ohio. Using various computer programs to achieve these tasks.
- Linked and directed EMS to hospital and other destinations, with debriefing and medical terminology.

Education 2007-2011 Kaplan University Davenport, IA

- Bachelor's Degree in Business Management/Human Resource Management
- Graduated with 3.0 GPA

DEVON YATES - BIO

Devon Yates is forward thinking, humorous, and dedicated; with an emphasis on bettering the clients served. He has worked with many clients through recent jobs and personal experiences and through these experiences he has developed a passion for seeing others achieve goals and making better decisions. Devon's wish is to combine my knowledge and experience in these areas, to deliver the best creative and influential presence and impact to these clients and their families. He is a family man who also loves coffee.

Applicant Agency Profile (Response should be no more than 4 pages in total for items 11-13, not including attached brochures/printed material.)

11. Describe the services your agency currently provides, including logistics of operations and geographical areas of coverage, and any unique features. Include your agency's website address and attach a brochure or other printed material that provides information on your agency.

The six counties that comprise the Diocese of Youngstown were separated from the Cleveland Diocese by order of the Holy See in 1943. Catholic Charities was established by Bishop James McFadden soon after the formation of the diocese to coordinate the Catholic social service efforts already present in five of the six counties: Columbiana, Mahoning, Portage, Stark and Trumbull. Catholic Charities of Ashtabula County was then added to provide coverage throughout the diocese.

Catholic social service efforts – under the auspices of a local diocese – in both the Eastern and Western regions of the Youngstown Diocese predate the official establishment of Catholic Charities by over 25 years.

In 1999, after thoroughly analyzing and evaluating the structure, programs and activities of the Catholic Charities system, Bishop Thomas J. Tobin decided it was in the best interest of the diocese to restructure the system. This decision led to the establishment of the Diocese of Youngstown Catholic Charities Corporation (DOYCCC). The DOYCCC serves the six northeastern counties of Ohio: Ashtabula, Columbiana, Mahoning, Portage, Stark and Trumbull. Within this six-county region, Catholic Charities has three social service agencies (Catholic Charities of Ashtabula County; Catholic Charities Serving Portage and Stark Counties; and Catholic Charities Regional Agency, serving Columbiana, Mahoning and Trumbull Counties) and a housing organization (Catholic Charities Housing Opportunities), all of which sponsor a total of eleven service sites.

A very unique feature of the Diocese of Youngstown Catholic Charities Corporation is that its affiliate agencies are located in a region designated as an "Appalachian, Rust Belt." Throughout the diocese's history, its geographical area and economy has changed dramatically. Beginning in 1960, the production in the steel mills took a drastic down turn, mainly due to lack of cooling water in Youngstown, a geographically landlocked area. The region, which at one time had been referred to as the Steel Belt of America, soon became known as the Rust Belt. As steel mills closed, many other local establishments and businesses closed with them. Individuals were not only unemployed, but a large number were unemployable for other work.

In the last decade the economic situation has worsened. In the six counties that comprise the Diocese of Youngstown, the population has decreased an average of 4.35%, with the highest decrease in Mahoning County, where Youngstown is located. The continued decrease in population has led to various problems within each county, such as a decrease in property tax base; decrease in revenue; increase in the number of foreclosures; and an overall lack of jobs needed to sustain the area. Despite these numerous challenges, Catholic Charities continues to address the various needs and high demand for services and programs for all people in need throughout the six-county region.

The mission of Catholic Charities is to provide service to people in need, to advocate for justice in social structures, and to call the entire Church and other people of good will to do the same. Catholic Charities is devoted to helping meet basic human needs, strengthening families, building communities and empowering low-income people. Although advances in technology and science have transformed society, individuals and families still find themselves in desperate situations that require the basic necessities for living. Catholic Charities continues to provide the traditional services, such as emergency assistance with food, clothing and shelter, while developing new programs and services to meet new and emerging needs. Opening Doors, a 10-week parenting skills series for at-risk families, and Cooking Matters, a guided grocery store tour teaching skills for buying healthy foods on a budget, are just a few of the more recent programs Catholic Charities has developed.

As communities expand and change, the needs of its residents also transform. Since every community is unique, the eleven Catholic Charities locations offer a different combination of services and programs to meet local needs.

The programs and services offered by Catholic Charities are available to all qualified individuals who live or work in the Diocese of Youngstown. Last year alone, Catholic Charities was able to provide assistance to more than 44,000 people throughout the diocese.

Catholic Charities offers the following programs: Emergency Services for Individuals and Families, Social and Education Services, Services for Older Adults, Community Outreach Services, Housing and Neighborhood Development and Workshops and Trainings. Please see the attached Program and Service Guide for a detailed description of each service offered. Programs, services, and events are also listed and updated weekly on our Corporation website, www.ccdoy.org.

SEE ATTACHED: Brochure, Program and Service Guide

12. Describe the population your agency services including any demographic information as well as family makeup. Include the number of families that your agency has served in the past two years.

The chart below provides demographic information on Catholic Charities' clients:

Total Unduplicated Clients Served: 2013

Race	Children/Adolescents (under 18)	Adults (18- 64)	Seniors (65+)	Total Unduplicated Clients
Asian/Pacific Islander	51	26	0	77
American Indian/Alaska Native	35	60	2	97
Black/African American	6368	5657	593	12618
White/European/Middle Eastern	11908	11723	1911	25542
Hispanic/Latino	947	741	38	1726
Other or Unknown	1753	2439	42	4234
Total Unduplicated Clients	21062	20646	2586	44294

The majority of the clients in Catholic Charities' First Step programs are children and women between the ages of 18 and 30. Ninety-two percent (92%) of the clients are on Public Assistance, and 94% reported incomes below the federal poverty line (\$23,550 for a family of four in 2013).

Over the past two years, Catholic Charities has served 36,624 total families. Ten percent (10%) of those families were helped through Catholic Charities' First Step programs.

13. Provide a current organizational chart (including any sub-grantees) and specify the key management and administrative personnel who will be assigned this project.

SEE ATTACHED

Locations

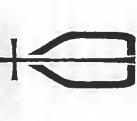
- County
 4200 Park Ave.—3rd Floor
 Ashtabula, Onio 44004
- Agency
 Agency
 175 Laird Avenue
 Warren, Ohio 44483
- S) Datholic Charities Regional Agency 319 West Rayen Avenue Youngstown, Onio 44502
- Oatholic Charities Diocesan Offices 144 West Wood Street Youngstown, Ohio 4450.
- 5. Catholic Charities Housing Opportunities 225 Elm Street Youngstovn, Ohio 44503
- Catholic Charities Regional Agency, Christina House P.O. Box 262 Lisbon, Ohio 44432
- Agency, Christina Center 115 East Washington Street Lisbon, Ohio 44432
- Agency, Senior Center 600 East 4th Street East 4th Street East Liverpool, Ohio 43920
- Catholic Charities Serving Portage & Stark Counties 206 West Main Street Ravenna, Ohio 44266
- Catholic Charities Serving
 Portage and Stark Counties
 800 Market Street
 Canton, Ohio 44702
- 11., Catholic Charities Serving Portage and Stark Counties Aduit Day Services 2308 Reno Drivo Louisville, Ohio 44641

Catholic Charities, Diocese of Younstown

That love and grace abundantly given to the Gospel each day as we feed the Catholic Charities remains a witness in a world, in the marketplace, in the follower of Christ today means being public square, and in the community sometimes we as Catholic Charities bury the dead. We also strive to be have to be advocates and voices for News of Jesus' unconditional love. prisoners, visit the sick, and even hungry, give drink to the thirsty, faith-filled witnesses to the Good those who are abused, neglected, ignored and suffering. Being a welcome the stranger, liberate sharing God's love and justice. by God further requires that



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Diocese of Youngstown
Providing Help. Creating Hope.

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www.ccdoy.org

Are you ready to Keep the Kids Warm? We are!



Catholic Charities' annual

Keep the Kids Warm campaign begins begins on the
Feast of the Holy Family and
runs through the Feast of the
Baptism of the Lord.

Keep the Kids Warm is an important annual effort to raise utility assistance funds for families served by Catholic Charities throughout the Diocese of Youngstown. One hundred percent (100%) of all funds raised through this effort are returned to the county in which they were collected to help meet needs in the donor's own community.

For information, visit www.ccdoy.org.



Catholic Charities served over 49,000 people in need last year.



Seventy-one percent (71%) of those people served reported incomes below the federal poverty line.



Catholic Charities launches its' First Step for Change Campaign in October of each year during "Respect Life" month.

The funds collected from
First Step for Change are
used to purchase hard good
such as food, formula, diapers, wipes and other items
for the low-income pregnant
women and families in Catholic Charities' First Step programs.

Since its' inception, First Step for Change has raised over \$300,000.00 helping women, children and families in need.



First Step for Change



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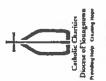




Program and Service Guide Catholic Charities

A Directory of Catholic Charities Services in the Diocese of Youngstown

Catholic Charities Serving Portage and Stark Counties Catholic Charities Legal Immigration Services Catholic Charities Administrative Services Catholic Charities Housing Opportunities Catholic Charities of Ashtabula County Migration and Refugee Services (MRS) Catholic Charities Regional Agency





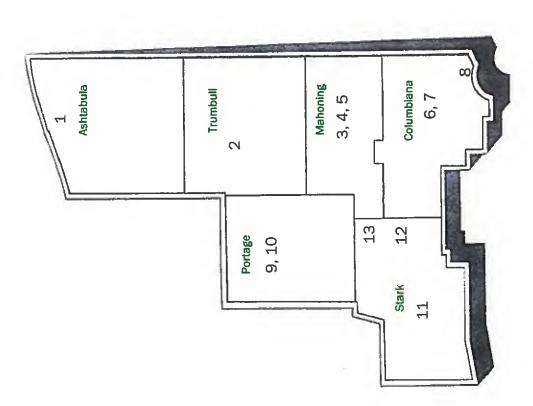
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Catholic Charities has many locations and offices to serve those in need.

Please reference list on page 5



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MIGRATION & REFUGEE SERVICES (MRS)

Mobile Migrant Ministry

Coordinator of Pastoral Outreach to Migrants and Newcomers

Efrain Ruano

Cell: 330-519-9710 or 330-501-5650

Email: eruano@youngstowndiocesc.org

Providing outreach to Hispanic migrants and newcomers throughout the Discesse of Youngstown; helping parishes to welcome Hispanic newcomers and to understand Hispanic culture.

Coordinator of Hispanic Outreach in Stark County

Alma Ciriello

Cell: 330-502-0260

Email: aciriello@youngstowndiocese.org

Tienda San José

A micro-enterprise shop selling Spanish language books, Bibles and religious articles, indigenous arts and crafts, and fairly-traded coffee, chocolate, tea and other products.

Located in the Diocesan Office of Religious Education

225 Elm Street

Youngstown, OH 44503 330-744-8451

Migration and Refugee Services (MRS) Special Programs United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB)

Safe Passage Family Reunification Program Provider

Youngstown, OH 44503 330-744-8451 Office of Social Services 144 West Wood Street

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CATHOLIC CHARITIES LEGAL Innigration Services

An Affiliate of Catholic Legal Immigration Network, Inc. (CLINIC)

206 West Main St.
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doymrs-legal@sbcglobal.net



With office hours by appointment only at the following locations.

Catholic Charities of Ashtabula County* 4200 Park Ave. — 3rd Floor Ashtabula, OH 44004 Catholic Charities of Stark County*
3112 Cleveland Ave. NW
Canton, OH 44709
* Call 1-866-901-3700 for more information.

Supervising Attorney Intake Specialist
Naomi Hokky, Esa. Joseph M. Miles

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jmdoymrs-legal@sbcglobal.net
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Providing family-based immigration assistance to those individuals who wish to obtain legal status in the United States, either for themselves or for their relatives.

nal convictions, The program is staffed by qualified attorneys and bilingual intake specialists who provide interpretation and assistance.

Catholic Charities Legal Immigration Services does not accept cases involving crimi-

Nominal fees are charged for services needed. However, services will not be denied based on the inability to pay.

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- 2. Catholic Charities Regional Agency 175 Laird Avenue NE Warren, OH 44483 Phone: 330-393-4254
- 3. Catholic Charites Regional Agency 2401 Belmont Avenue Youngstown, OH 44505 Phone: 330-744-3320
- 4. Catholic Charities Diocesan Offices 144 West Wood Street Youngstown, OH 44503 Phone: 330-744-8451
- 5. Catholic Charities Housing Opportunities 225 Flm Street Youngstown, OH 44503 Phone: 330-744-8451, ext. 326
- 6. Catholic Charities Regional Agency Christina House P. O. Box 262 Lisbon, OH 44432 Phone: 330-420-0036
- 7. Catholic Charities Regional Agency Christina Center 115 East Washington Sircet Lisbon, OH 44432 Phone: 330-420-0845
- 8 Catholic Charities Regional Agency Catholic Charities Senior Center and Dierker Center 600 East 4th Street East Liverpool, OH 43920 Phone: 330-385-4732

- 9. Catholic Charities Serving Portage and Stark Counties 206 West Main Street Ravenna, OH 44266 Phone: 330-297-7745
- 10. Catholic Charities
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 Ravenna, OH 44266
 Phone: 330-297-7250
 Toll-Free; 866-901-3700
- 11. Catholic Charities Serving Portage and Stark Counties 3112 Cleveland Avenue NW Canton, OH 44709 Phone: 330-491-0896
- 12. Catholic Charities Serving Portage and Stark Counties. Adult Day Services
 - and Stark Counties. Adult D Services 2308 Reno Drive Louisville, OH 44641

Phone: 330-875-7979

 Catholic Charities Serving Portage and Stark Counties. - Alliance
 For more information about services provided at this location or hours of operation, please call (330) 491-0896

For updated information, visit www.ccdoy.org and www.cathdoy.org

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relationships with parishes and communities; coordinating and providing techniand development opportunities for Boards of Directors; building and cultivating Directing the provision of social and housing services throughout the Diocese; coordinating service delivery; supervising and assisting the Catholic Charities cal assistance for Catholic Charities' fund raising, gram writing and grant reaffiliate agency executive directors and management teams; creating training porting efforts.

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OFFICE OF SOCIAL ACTION

Director

Brian R. Corbin

330-744-8451, ext. 320

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Coordinator of Criminal Justice

and Detention Ministrics/Migration & Refugee Services (MRS)

Joseph M. Miles

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Providing legislative and public policy analysis and advocacy in light of Catholic tries; coordinating Catholic Relief Services and the Catholic Campaign for Husocial teaching; offering services in the areas of racial justice, social analysis and hunger relief; directing parish social ministry and criminal justice minisman Development.

Criminal Justice and Detention

istry of the Church to those imprisoned, Bringing the healing and teaching minvictims of crime and their families and to those who work in the criminal justo the families of the incarcerated, to

lice system.

Assisting Black and Hispanic Catholics Minority Concerns and Racial Justice projects and events concerning enculin planning and coordinating various turation, racial justice, inclusion and

Coordinating the work of the Church in its global solidarity ministries, includ-Catholic Relief Services (CRS) ing Operation Rice Bowl. representation,

Migration & Refugee Services (MRS) services to migrants, immigrants and Coordinating pastoral outreach and

Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD)

parish-based collections and allocating income people who address the causes Educating Catholics on the Church's response to poverty, managing local grunts to self-help groups of lowof poverty.

Parish Social Ministry and Public Policy

and the community at-large on the prinnational, and international social justice agencies to advocate for justice and the ciples of Catholic social teaching; pro-Catholic agencies, institutions, boards viding information on important local, Educating members of local parishes, value of life in many areas of governissues and organizing parishes and ment and public policy.

Coordinating and implementing the Church's rural life activities, Rural Life Ministries

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ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

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Email: charities@youngstowndiocese.org

Website: www.ccdoy.org

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The Department provides health care ethics and medical-moral consultation, and acts Health Affairs; convening and working with Catholic health and human welfare instias a liaison with the St. Vincent De Paul Society, the Catholic hospitals and nursing Providing general oversight for the Department of Catholic Charities Services and nations of the Diocese, as well as board committees and community organizations.

Disaster Response

Coordinating disaster response efforts, both locally and globally.

Coordinating the work of St. Vincent de Paul Societies throughout the Diocesan Northeast Ohio Diocesam Council of St. Vincent de Paul

bcorbin@youngstowndiocese.org Youngstown, OH 44501-0224 Director, Brian R. Corbin 330-744-8451, ext. 320 P. O. Box 224

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CATHOLIC CHARITIES REGIONAL AGENCY

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Youngstown, OH 44505 Phone: 330-744-3320 Fax: 330-744-3677 2401 Belmont Ave,

Phone: 330-393-4254 Warren, OH 44483 175 Laird Ave. NE

Christina Center

Fax: 330-393-4050

115 E. Washington St. Lisbon, OII 44432

Phone: 330-420-0845 Fax: 330-420-0873

Christina House

Dunestic violence shelver, mulaclosed beaution P. O. Box 262

Lisbon, OH 44432

24-hour crisis line: 330-420-0036, or 330-420-0037

7ax: 330-420-0105

Catholic Charities Senior Center/

Dierker Center

600 E. 4th St.

Phone: 330-385-4732, 330-385-7829 East Liverpool, OH 43920 Fax: 330-385-9327

PROGRAMS and SERVICES

- Access Health Mahoning Valley
 - Adoption Services
- **Bullying Prevention Program for** Schools
- P.A.T.H. (Project for Assistance C.O.A.C.H. (Case Management Outreach and Advocacy for Our in Transition from Homeless-Community's Homeless)/
- Domestic Violence Shelter and **Emergency Assistance** Services
- Family Support Services
 - Fighting Hunger
- First Step Pregnancy and Family Support Program
 - Grief and Bereavement Services
 - Homeless Prevention and Rapid
 - Re-housing Program
 - Housing Counseling
- Money Management
- The Ohio Benefit Bank
- Social Security/Disability Benefit Bank Project
- Parenting Group for Divorced Parents
 - Arcenting Skills Training
 - Seasonal Programs
- Senior Multi-Purpose Center
- - Senior Support

VEHICLE DONATIONS

CARSTM accepts car donations for Catholic Charities Regional Agency. To donate your car, truck, RV, boat, motorcycle or other vehicle to Catholic Charities Regional Agency, call 855-630-GIVE, or visit Catholic Charities' website at www.ccdoy.org.

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CATHOLIC CHARITHES OF ASHTABULA COUNTY

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PROGRAMS and SERVICES

- Adoption Service Referrals
 - Distribution Services
 - Emergency Assistance
- Financial Literacy
 First Step Pregnancy and Family
 Support Program
- Guardianship
- Housing Counseling
- The Ohio Benefit Bank
- Representative Payee Services
 - Seasonal Programs School-Based Services

CATHOLIC CHARITIES HOUSING OPPORTUNITIES

GRANTS & PROJECTS COORDINATOR Nikole Baringer nharinger @youngstowndiocese.urg

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PROGRAMS and SERVICES

- Affordable Rental Housing
- Caritas Communities/Eastwood Village
- Community Development
- Down Payment Assistance/
 Homeownership Program
 - Housing Development

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Workshops and Trainings Programs for Schools, Parishes and Other Interested Groups:

- Dealing with Families in Crisis—designed for school faculty and others who interact with families on a regular basis. Information is provided to help professionals assist families with a wide range of needs.
- Intergenerational Issues—tailored to the concerns of the "sandwich generation": those caring for aging parents as well as their own children.
- Recognizing Depression and Anxiety—provides practical information on depression and anxiety in children. The seminar is designed for parents, school faculty and others who work with children on a regular basis.
- Recognizing the Abused Child—designed for school faculty and others who work with children on a daily basis. This workshop provides practical information and education on behaviors, verbal and non-verbal communication and attitudes which often characterize an abused child.
- Responding to Domestic Violence—considers such issues as how to handle referrals; the psychology of the victim and the batterer; the Cycle of Violence; date rape and dating violence; and the Catholic Church's response to domestic violence.

- Managing Your Grief—providing presentations on various topics to assist children and adults with grief, loss and recovery issues; grief counseling is available upon request for schools, parishes and other institutions experiencing a tragedy or other unexpected loss.
- Dealing with Economic Hardship— explores the impact of household financial difficulties on marriages and families; offers strategies for maintaining emotional stability and harmony in times of economic hardship.
- Communication in Families and Marital Relationships—considers the importance of effective communication in the creation and maintenance of healthy relationships in the family; provides suggestions to improve speaking and listening skills within the context of the family.

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Housing and Neighborhood Development

Caritas Communities

ment units on Youngstown's east Co-sponsoring, with Humility of side called "Eastwood Village." Mary Housing, Inc., 154 apart-

Community Development

- community development projects Charities agencies, parishes and other organizations to develop housing-related programs and Collaborating with Catholic to benefit those in need.
- Emphasizing social justice and self-help models.
- such as ACTION and the Youngstown Neighborhood Development Participating in organizations Corporation.

Housing Counseling

- Providing specific counseling and limited short-term financial assistance to qualifying individuals and families,
- Helping to stabilize housing arrangements for at-risk families and individuals.
- ing on mortgage modification and Offering information and counselmortgage scams.

Housing Development

provide quality, affordable housing Initiating and participating in dewithin the six-county area of the velopment projects designed to Diocese,

- needs and at-risk individuals and Assisting low-income, special families.
- Owning and managing affordable rental housing.
- assistance and housing counseling. Operating a homeownership program including down payment

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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

AND STARK COUNTIES

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First Step Pregnancy and Family

Emergency Assistance/Money

Management

Adoption Service Referrals PROGRAMS and SERVICES

Caritas Café

Portage County

Support Program/Child Safety

Kit Program

Food Pantry

Parenting Skills Training

The Ohio Benefit Bank

Seasonal Programs

3112 Cleveland Ave. NW Phone: 330-491-0896 Fax: 330-491-1298 Canton, OH 44709

Phone: 330-875-7979 Louisville, OH 44641 Fax: 330-875-3006 Adult Day Services 2308 Reno Dr.

Stark County

Adoption Service Referrals

PROGRAMS and SERVICES

- Caregiver Support Group Adult Day Services
- Emergency Assistance/Money Management
- First Step Center for Pregnancy and Family Support
 - Food Pantry
- Grief Support Group
- Parenting Skills Training
 - Seasonal Programs
- The Ohio Benefit Bank

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CATHOLIC CHARITIES

SERVICES

CATHOLIC CHARITIES CORP. SHOCKER OF YOUNGSTOWN

Emergency Services for Individuals and Families

Emergency Assistance

- Combining material and financial for persons in need of the followassistance with advocacy efforts
- * Food
- * Shelter
- * Clothing
- medication and medical Essential prescription
 - Transportation supplies
- Utility Payments
- Homeless Outreach
- Other services essential to well-being
- children in cooperation with other Extending help and hope in times social service agencies, churches. of crisis and need to families and food pantries and kitchens.

Distribution Services

Providing on-site clothing, household goods, small appliances and other items for individuals and families in need.

Food Pantries

for individuals and families facing Providing on-site food resources immediate food insecurity.

Seasonal Programs

distribution services to help individuals and families prepare for Offering specific assistance and back-to-school, holidays, cold weather months, etc.

The Ohio Benefit Bank

low-income individuals and families Using a computer program to help access the public benefit programs for which they are eligible.

Social and Educational Services

Adoption Information and Awareness

- Providing informational packets to people interested in adoption.
- Making referrals for couples interested in completing a home-study in preparation for an adoption placement.

light refreshments to at-risk adults

and families.

tion, information and referral and

Extending hospitality, socializa-

Caritas Café

- Helping pregnant women create an adoption plan, if requested.
- adoptive families for Ohio's wait-Working with parishes to recruit ing children.

crisis telephone line is maintained

domestic violence. A 24-hour

women and children affected by

Providing protective shelter to

Domestic Violence Shelter and

Services

with cooperation from other local

agencies.

Extending community education

schools, organizations and other

concerned groups.

and prevention programs to

- welfare issues relative to adoption advocacy and convening on child Supporting the efforts of local organizations through service. and foster care.
- the Catholic Church by encourag-Promoting the pro-life position of ing the adoption of children waiting for permanent placement.

Offering sexual assault/rape crisis

e

counseling and information.

Providing legal/vietim advocacy

for women seeking protection

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Fighting Hunger

Community Outreach Services

- Providing outreach to pantries and choices and access to other retheir consumers for healthy sources.
- Offering nutrition classes and information on healthy food

ages 18-64 with finding medical

providers.

Assisting uninsured individuals

Access Health Mahoning Valley

nity's Homeless)/P.A.T.H. (Project for reach and Advocacy for Our Commu-C.O.A.C.H. (Case Management Out-

Providing collaborative outreach

Assistance in Transition from Home-

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and assistance to homeless indi-

viduals

Linking individuals with perma-

nent housing.

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Services for Older Adults

Adult Day Services

- Offering a safe and secure environactivities of daily living while family caregivers are working or tendsupervision or assistance with the ment for older adults in need of ing to other responsibilities.
- Extending opportunities for sociali- Senior Support Program zation, planned activities and basic possible and part of the family unit. health care services to help older adults remain as independent as

Case Management

- Providing in-home assessments and developing an individual care plan with the client to address items of сопсеш.
- Linking clients with other agency and community services to meet their needs. .

Guardianship

- and mentally disabled adults who Offering services for frail elderly are deemed incompetent by the probate court.
- Providing clients with caring advoers when no less restrictive alternacates and surrogate decision maktive to guardianship is available.

Senior Multi-Purpose Center

- Providing in-home and on-site hot meals.
- Offering supportive services and emergency assistance.
- Providing socialization opportunities and activities for older adults

- munity resources, coordination of Helping elderly and disabled percery shopping, banking, medical sons with such activities as greappointments, referrals to comwith Medicare/Medicaid forms, friendly visiting and assistance
- Providing prescription/medication particularly in cases of emergency assistance to those who qualify, medication need.
- ness and need for long-term medimaceutical companies' indigent programs in cases of chronic illcontinued assistance from phar-Negotiating the availability of cations for qualifying clients,

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Adoption Services

- Offering crisis pregnancy support services and placement of infants for parents making an adoption plan for their infant.
- Providing home studies and information and referral services for couples interested in adopting.
- Providing home studies for stepparents seeking to legalize the adoption of a stepchild.
- identifying information about pre-Providing post-adoption services. vious adoptions through the including searches for nonagency.
- Providing education and raising awareness about the adoption process.

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Caregiver Support Group

- Helping caregivers take care of themselves. •
- Providing a forum for sharing and learning.

Direct Services for Families

referrals for family issues, relationship issues and issues that result from grief, Offering social work assessment and oss or trauma.

explore the realities of married life Premarital Counseling and Assessand assisting them in the development of communication skills that ment-helping couples mutually gether. This service is also availwill enhance their future life toable at the request of clergy.

for special circumstances, such as tion-providing on-site services tragedies requiring more intense Crisis Response and Intervenprofessional involvement.

First Step Pregnancy and Family Support

- planned pregnancies and families emergency assistance and other dealing with the challenges of services for women facing un-Providing case management, raising healthy children.
- Supporting the pro-life, pro-family through service and advocacy on position of the Catholic Church behalf of women and families facing difficult life situations,
- Promoting positive life course development for all expectant parents and their families,

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Financial Literacy and Responsibility/

- hance their money management Helping people develop and en-Money Management Programming
- Providing information on decisionproblem solving, along with trackday lending and rent-to-own) and predatory lenders (including paying and prioritizing expenses. making, budgeting, avoiding

Grief and Bereavement Services

- Providing specific information for understand the complicated procchildren and adults to help them ess of grieving.
- Extending grief groups on selected topics to interested persons.
- counseling services when appro-Offering links with individual printe.

Homeless Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing Program

- prevent imminent or actual home-Providing assessment and assistance for eligible individuals to lessness.
- Maintaining strict HUD guidelines with security deposits, rent and utililties for eligible households with limited flexibility to assist that would otherwise become homeless

Parenting Groups for Divorced

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Parents

- those considering divorce, in re-Assisting families, particularly solving conflicts.
- children experiencing divorce in Increasing self-sufficiency and improving the coping skills of their families.
- Providing groups for divorcing parents to help their children.

Parenting Skills Training

- Focusing on the needs of single parents.
- Attempting to prevent child abuse and neglect by building positive parent-child relationships.
- bility, good communication skills and discipling as effective parent-Stressing the importance of cooperation, encouragement, responsiing tools

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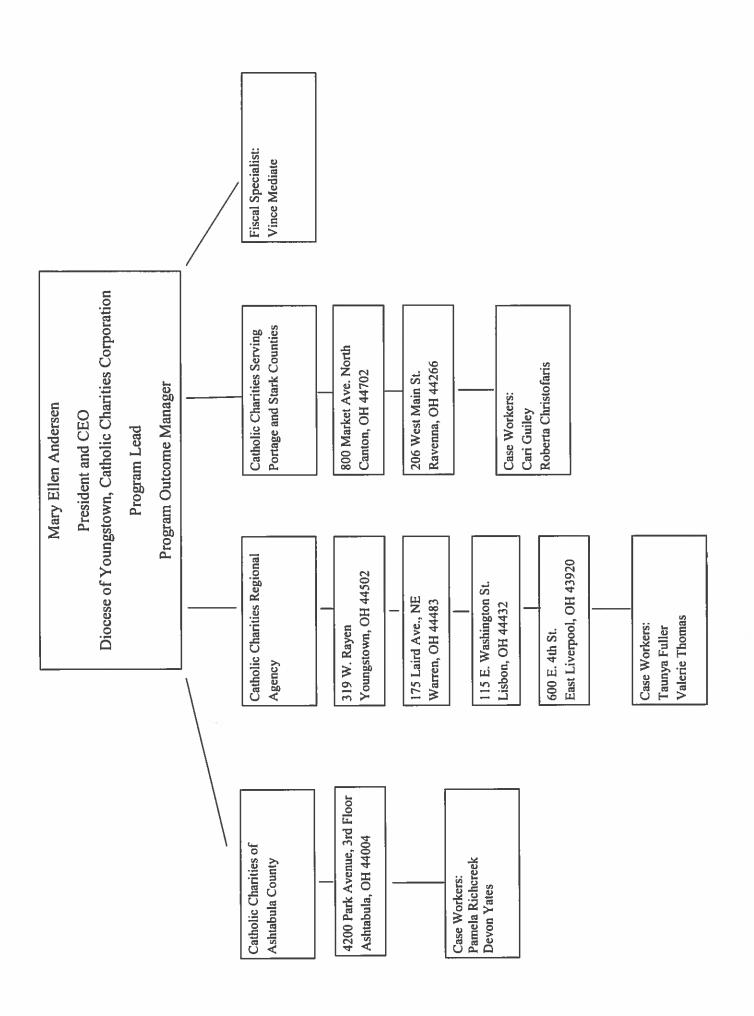
School-Based Servives

Representative Payee Services

- Security benefits through individualized service plans for adults who suffer from mental or developmen-Providing management of Social tal disabilities,
- Ensuring that a client's basic living expenses are prioritized and paid.
- oping a basic household budget, as well as a crisis budget to deal with temporary income loss and a windfall budget to plan for income tax Assisting individuals with devel-

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- School-based services include, but are not limited to:
- practical strategies for coping with Anger Management - providing anger and frustration in order to alleviate stress on children and amilies.
- curriculum to prevent bullying and promote responsible, respectful Bullying Prevention Program offering the "Steps to Respect" behavior,
- mation and other family transitions to express their feelings and relate offering social and personal skills separation, birth, step-family fordesigned to promote healthy ad-Group— providing a forum for to others in similar situations; children coping with divorce, Divorce/Transitions Support justment to change.
- individuals cope with death, loss their feelings in a supportive setor other grief issues and express Grief Support Group-helping ting
- gram (R.S.V.P.) promoting the sanctity of sexual relations within the context of marriage; teaching quences of teen pregnancy, sexually transmitted diseases, AIDS, tional issues that teens confront; structured for junior high school Responsible Social Values Prosubstance abuse and other emostudents the potential conse-



Program Design (Response should be no more than 4 pages in total for items 14-18.)

- 14. Please indicate a minimum of two (2) planned uses of funding for this program: [Applicants who do not indicate at least 2 planned uses of funding in their application shall not be considered for any grant award.
- a. Increase numbers served X Yes

In 2013, Catholic Charities served 1,913 households in its First Step and adoption programs. Funds from the Ohio Parenting and Pregnancy Program Grant will enable Catholic Charities to more than double the number of households served last year, adding approximately 2,000 families, as follows:

Adoption Information Sessions -- Anticipated number to be served: 120 families
A state-certified adoption assessor employed by Catholic Charities will coordinate twelve
(12) informational presentations in the six counties of the Diocese of Youngstown for women facing unplanned pregnancies.

<u>Case Management</u> -- Anticipated number to be served: 150 families

Case workers in Catholic Charities' First Step programs will provide case management services to families moving from dependence to financial self-sufficiency per county.

<u>Material Assistance</u> — Anticipated number to be served: 1,680 families Catholic Charities will provide material assistance (food, formula, diapers, clothing, a limited number of cribs, car seats and other items), including utility and rent/mortgage assistance specific to families with children ages 0-12 months.

<u>Parenting Skills Sessions</u> – Anticipated number to be served: 84 families

A case worker in each of the six counties of the Diocese of Youngstown will provide two, four-session parenting skills trainings for parents of children ages 0-12 months.

Curriculum to be used is *Incredible Years Parenting Program for Parents with Babies Ages Birth to 12 Months*. Topics to be covered include getting to know your baby; babies as intelligent learners; providing physical, tactile, and visual stimulation; learning to read babies' minds; gaining support; and babies' emerging sense of self.

b. Provide expanded or new services X Yes

Case management and material assistance are the two components of Catholic Charities' First Step program. Catholic Charities proposes to expand these components to reach a greater number of families, with concentration on parents of children ages 0-12 months. To achieve this goal, Catholic Charities will provide outreach to under-served areas of the service region, utilizing parish facilities for the distribution of material assistance and to meet with clients for case management.

Catholic Charities has provided adoption information seminars in the past, but not recently. This grant provides an opportunity to be more aggressive in promoting adoption not only as an alternative to abortion, but also as an alternative to parenting for those facing an unplanned pregnancy. These informational seminars will be held at the

Catholic Charities agency in each county, as well as an alternate site to be determined later.

Catholic Charities has been providing parenting skills training in various formats for approximately 20 years. This grant proposes to provide a specific parenting series using the *Incredible Years Parenting Program for Parents with Babies Ages Birth to 12 Months* curriculum. The four-session series will be offered in each of the six counties of the diocese twice during the grant year, with a minimum of seven participants per session. Sessions will be facilitated by professional Catholic Charities case workers. Clients for the parenting skills training will be referred from other Catholic Charities' programs, such as First Step, emergency assistance, and housing counseling, as well as from other community service organizations.

15. Services and the numbers of new individuals served

In the chart below, indicate a minimum of three (3) program activities your agency will provide. Include the anticipated number of new individuals that your agency will serve (for the duration of the grant period) in each activity and the total numbers you plan to serve. Please feel free to add rows to include services not listed.

Program Service	New	Program Service	New
	Number		Number
	Served		Served
Clothing	120	Parenting Classes	84
Counseling		Postpartum Recovery	
Diapers	300	Transportation	
Food	600	Adoption Information Sessions	120
Furniture (Cribs, car seats, pack and plays, etc.)	60	Case Management for parents of children ages 0-12 months	150
Health Care		Rent/Mortgage and Utility Assistance for families with children 0-12 months	600
		Total	2,034

16. Describe your agency's relationship with partner community organizations or agencies that will be used to carry out the program activities, including: 1) the name of each partnering organization (whether contractual or non-contractual relationship); 2) the roles and functions for the applicant and each individual partner organization; 3) services each partner will provide; 4) whether or not the partner organization(s) have collaborated with the applicant on similar projects in the past; 5) the number of years of collaboration with each partner; and 6) the location of partner offices.

The following foundations and/or organizations have been instrumental in supporting the Diocese of Youngstown Catholic Charities Corporation: Ohio Department of Health, Ohio Development Services Agency, Saint Vincent DePaul, Lend-A-Hand Food Pantry, United Way of Portage County, and The Women's Fund Endowment of Stark Community Foundation.

Funding from these partnering organizations have enabled Catholic Charities to provide material resources, including diapers, baby food, formula, clothing and other items, as well as funds for parenting classes and materials. The partnering organizations will continue to provide support to Catholic Charities for the duration of the grant period.

The following chart will provide the number of years of collaboration and the location of partner offices:

Name	Number of years of collaboration	Location of offices
Ohio Department of Health	20 years	246 N. High St. Columbus, Ohio 43215
Ohio Development Services Agency (formerly known as the Ohio Department of Development)	30 years	77 South High Street 29th Floor Columbus, Ohio 43215
St. Vincent DePaul	50 years	208 W. Front St. Youngstown, OH 44503 (and various local sites located at parishes throughout the diocese)
Lend-A-Hand Food Pantry	10 years	3312 Lake Ave. Ashtabula, OH 44004
United Way of Stark County	4 years	4825 Higbee Ave. NW #101 Canton, OH 44718
United Way of Ashtabula County	70 years	2801 C Ct # 3 Ashtabula, OH 44004
United Way of Trumbull County	30 years	3601 Youngstown Rd. SE Warren, OH 44484
United Way of the Mahoning Valley	30 years	255 Watt St. Youngstown, OH 44505
United Way of Northern Columbiana County	30 years	713 East State St. Salem, OH 44460
United Way of Southern Columbiana County	30 years	527 Market St. East Liverpool OH 43920
The Women's Fund Endowment of Stark Community Foundation	1 year	400 Market Avenue North Suite 200 Canton, OH 44702
Women, Infants and Children (WIC)	12 years	1001 Covington St. Youngstown, OH 44510

Name	Number of years of collaboration	Location of offices
Women, Infants and Children (WIC)—Ashtabula	10 years	3225 Lake Ave. Ashtabula, OH 44004
Salvation Army	30 years	1501 Glenwood Ave. Youngstown, OH
Humility of Mary Health Partners	20 years	250 DeBartolo Place Suite 2560 Boardman, Ohio 44512
Youngstown Metropolitan Housing Authority	20 years	131 W Boardman St. Youngstown, OH 44503
Trumbull Metropolitan Housing Authority	20 years	4076 Youngstown Rd. Warren, OH 44484

17. Define the eligibility requirements for the services provided. Additional eligibility standards may be added by requirements of 5101.804 of the Revised Code must be included.

Services will be provided to pregnant women and parents or other relatives caring for children twelve months of age or younger. It is the goal of the First Step program to provide case management, basic needs assistance (i.e. clothing, cribs, car seats, diapers, food and formula), adoption services and parenting education for women facing unplanned pregnancies and families dealing with the challenges of raising healthy children. The program supports the pro-life, pro-family position of the Catholic Church through service and advocacy on behalf of women and families facing difficult life situations. These First Step program activities meet the following TANF goals:

- To provide assistance to needy families so that children may be cared for in their own homes or in the homes of relatives, and
- To encourage the formation and maintenance of two-parent families

There is no charge to individuals and families seeking First Step assistance. It is the policy of Catholic Charities to not provide referrals to, or be involved with, any abortion activities, procedures or pro-abortion advertising. Catholic Charities does not discriminate in its provision of services on the basis of race, religion, color, age, marital status, national origin, disability, or gender.

18. Include a description of the target audience that will be serviced by the provider.

The vast majority of those engaging in Catholic Charities' efforts outlined in this grant proposal are clients in need of financial assistance. The heads of household seen at Catholic Charities' agencies are most often single, un/underemployed women with one or more children. However, assistance is also offered to eligible dual-parent households struggling with sudden financial limitations. Many referrals to Catholic Charities' expanded services will come by word of mouth; from other Catholic Charities' programs (emergency assistance, housing counseling, etc.); from other county social service providers, including WIC, Head Start, Job and Family Services, case workers from local children's mental health providers; and other agencies serving the needs of pregnant women, children, and at-risk parents of children ages 0-12 months.

Program Outcome Management (Response should be no more than 2 pages in total for items 19-20.)

19. Clearly describe the intended outcomes for this program and the indicators your agency will use to measure effectiveness.

Outcomes for the services explained in this Ohio Parenting and Pregnancy Program Grant request include the following:

- Increase program participants' awareness of adoption as a viable option to abortion or lack of desire/readiness to parent;
- Increase the number of program participants with a solid plan toward financial self-sufficiency;
- Decrease program participants' level of stress caused by uncertainty with regards to providing for child's/children's basic needs;
- Increase program participants' knowledge and skills related to parenting;
- Increase the amount of time program participants spend on higher-level parenting (e.g., nurturing, discipline);
- Increase program participants' awareness and use of coping skills.

To measure effectiveness in achieving indicators, Catholic Charities will

- track the number of pregnant women who either consider or choose adoption over other alternatives when facing an unplanned pregnancy;
- provide pre- and post-test assessments to First Step case management clients to determine whether the service is increasing their awareness of community resources available to them and to determine their success in adhering to a monthly budget;
- track the number of material goods distributed to First Step clients and client families;
- provide pre- and post-test assessments of parenting knowledge, skills, and coping mechanisms;
- survey parenting program participants six-months after their parenting skills sessions to see if they are still using learned techniques and approaches to parenting;
- utilize evaluation surveys with adoption, case management, material assistance, and parenting skills clients to assess satisfaction with services received and to determine other concerns and interests for future programming.

20. Describe how program data will be collected and confidentially maintained.

Personal program data will be collected via agency intake forms or group evaluation surveys. In order to maintain confidentiality, Catholic Charities maintains the following policies:

- All files and printed material that contain client information will be kept in locked file cabinets with restricted access.
- All electronic client information should be placed in the appropriate folder on a secure server. All folders have restricted access with only applicable program staff and management having access. Client information should never be stored on the computer hard drive.
- Client files should not be left in public areas such as hallways, desks, or non-secured areas. When not being used by authorized staff, files should be returned to a secure area.
- Client files should never be accessed or discussed other than for the purpose of providing service, billing or reporting.
- All client files will be maintained according to the Agency's record retention policy. Confidentiality must be upheld when purging files.

Sub-grantees and Vendors (1 page maximum in total for Items 21-22)

- 21. N/A
- 22. N/A

Attachment A

Attachment A consists of <u>2 distinct and different</u> sections. Both sections must be completed and included in Tab 1 of the proposal.

Section I – Required Grantee Information

Section II - Location of Business Form

Attachment A-Section I

REQUIRED GRANTEE INFORMATION and CERTIFICATIONS

Purpose: The Ohio Department of Job and Family Services (ODJFS) requires the following information on applicants who submit proposals or applications in response to any ODJFS Requests for Grant Applications (RFGAs), in order to facilitate the development of the grant with the selected applicant. ODJFS reserves the right to reject your application if you fail to provide this information fully, accurately, and by the deadline set by ODJFS. Further, some of this information (as identified below) must be provided in order for ODJFS to accept and consider your application. Failure to provide such required information will result in your application's immediate disqualification.

Instructions: Provide the following information regarding the applicant organization submitting the application. Applicants may either print this attachment, complete and sign it, or may provide the required information and certifications (each fully re-stated from this attachment) on their letterhead as the opening pages of their applications. It is mandatory that the information provided is certified with an original signature (in blue ink, please) from a person with authority to represent the applicant. Applicants are to provide the completed and signed information and certifications as the cover pages of their original proposal submitted to ODJFS.

IMPORTANT: If the RFGA specified a maximum page limit for applicant proposals, the attachment of any required certifications, other documents, or additional pages needed to fully provide the information requested here will <u>NOT</u> be counted against that page limit.

Applicants must provide all information

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Address: 144 West Wood St.

Youngstown, OH 44503

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JFSR1415178081	July 24, 2014			
3. Name: (legal name of the grantee – person or organization – to whom grant payments would be made)				
Diocese of Youngstown Catholic Charit	ties Corporation (DOYCCC)			
http://ohiosharedservices.ohio.gov/Vendors.aspx. The necessa	(OAKS) ID#: [Vendors may apply for an OAKS vendor ID# at arry forms to be completed and remitted to Ohio Shared Services are the V-9. Completion and/or submission of these forms to Ohio Shared DJFS contract/grant.]			
4. Grantee Corporate Address:	5. Grantee Remittance Address: (or "same" if same as Item # 4)			
144 West Wood St. Youngstown, OH 44503	SAME			
6. Print or type information on the grantee representative/	contact person authorized to answer questions on the application:			
Grantee Representative NAME and TITLE: Nikole M	1. Baringer, Grants and Projects Coordinator			
Address: 144 West Wood St. Youngstown, OH 44503	E-Mail Address: nbaringer@youngstowndiocese.org Phone #: 330-744-8451, ext. 323			
	Fax #: 330-742-6447			
7. Print or type the name of the grantee representative an	thorized to address contractual issues, including the authority to			

execute a contract on behalf of the vendor, and to whom legal notices regarding contract termination or breach, should be sent (if not the same individual as in #6, provide the following information on each such representative and specify their function):

E-Mail Address: mandersen@youngstowndiocese.org

Phone #: 330-744-8451, ext. 315

En. #. 330-742-6447

Grantee Representative NAME and TITLE: Mary Ellen Andersen, President & CEO

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qualifies under that section to enter	into contracts v	vith the State of O	hio.
10. Equal Employment Opportunity A. Provide vendor employee data be			any Sub-grantee(s) f), and Ohio office employees separately:
	Nationwide	Ohio Offices	
Total Number of Employees:	N/A	93	
% of those who are Women:	N/A	_85%	
% of those who are Minorities:	N/A	8%	
B. If you are the selected vendor,	will you subcon	tract any part of t	he work?
X NO -or- 3 YES, but for less th	an 50% of the	work -or- I YES,	for 50% or more of the work
If yes, provide the following infor	mation on each :	subcontractor (addi	tional pages may be added as needed):
Subcontractor Name:			
Address:			
Work To Be Performed:			A STATE OF THE STA
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% of those who are Women:			
% of those who are Minorities:			

this fiscal year to date. Also include grants approved for ODJFS or institutions of higher education:]	1.
Total number of grants:		
For each state grant, list the state agency and provide the following information:		
State Agency/Educational Institution: SEE ATTACHED Grant Dollar Amount:		
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Attach additional pages if needed		
11. Grantee Ethics Certification		
As a grantee receiving grants from the State of Ohio, I certify on behalf of Diocese of Youngstown Catholic Charities Corpname of vendor or grantee):		
(1) I have reviewed and understand Ohio ethics and conflict of interests' laws, as found in Chapter 102, and Sections 2921.42 and 2921.43 of the Ohio Revised Code.		
(2) I acknowledge that failure to comply with this certification is, by itself, grounds for termination of this contract or grant with the State of Ohio.		0
Mary Eller a Lide Les July 21, 2014 Signature of July 21, 2014 Date		
12. I have read the ODJFS Model Grant attached to the RFGA, and if awarded a grant, I will not X (or) I will request changes to the standard language, and have marked the requested changes and returned the model document with this proposal for consideration by ODJFS. (If so, ODJFS will review those requested changes if you are the selected grantee. All requested changes to model contract language are subject to ODJFS approval.)		
13.1 Mary Ellen Andersen , (grantee representative in Item # 7) hereby affirm that this proposal accurately represents the capabilities and qualifications of <u>Diocese of Youngstown Catholic Chari</u> (grantee's name), and I hereby affirm that the cost(s) bid to ODJFS for the performance of services and/or provision of goods covered in this application in response to this ODJFS RFGA is a firm fixed price, inclusive of all incidental as well as primary costs. (Failure to provide the proper affirming signature on this item may result in the disqualification of your proposal/bid.)	ties	Corp
14. Location of Business Declaration: Vendors responding to any ODJFS RFP/RLB/RFGA (etc.) must certify that no public funds shall be spent on services provided/performed offshore by completing, signing, and returning the "Location of Business Form," which is the final section of this attachment. FAILURE TO PROPERLY COMPLETE, SIGN AND RETURN THIS FORM, INCLUDING THE "LOCATION OF BUSINESS FORM," WILL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION OF THE VENDOR FROM CONSIDERATION FOR AWARD OF AN ODJFS CONTRACT.	مسترجمت درسان المالية	

State Agency / Educational Institution	Grant Dollar Amount		
Department of Job and Family Services	\$88,393.00		
Department of Job and Family Services	\$5,475.00		
Ohio Development Services Agency	\$196,017.00		
Ohio Development Services Agency	\$117,000.00		
Ohio Department of Education	\$11,020.00		
Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services	\$39,000.00		
Ohio Attorney General's Office	\$55,821.00		

Attachment A -Section II.

Location of Business Form

Pursuant to Governor's Executive Order 2011-12K (www.governor.ohio.gov), no public funds shall be spent on services provided offshore. This form serves as a certification of compliance with this policy and required disclosures. Please answer the following questions about the project or service you are seeking to perform for or the funding for which you are applying from the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services:

1. Principal location of business of	Grantee:
144 West Wood St.	Youngstown, OH 44503
(Address)	(City, State, Zip)
Name/Principal location of busin	ness of sub-grantee(s):
N/A	
(Name)	(Address, City, State, Zip)
(Name)	(Address, City, State, Zip)
2. Location where services will be	performed by Grantee:
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(Address)	(City, State, Zip)
Name/Location where services w	vill be performed by sub-grantee(s):
N/A	
(Name)	(Address, City, State, Zip)
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3. Location where state data will be	stored, accessed, tested, maintained or backed-up, by Grantee:
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4. Location where services to be perform	ned will be changed or shifted by Grantee
N/A	
(Address)	(Address, City, State, Zip)
Name/Location(s) where services will	be changed or shifted to be performed by sub-grantee(s):
N/A	
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(Name)	(Address, City, State, Zip)
Order 2011-12K. I attest that no funds provided by OD services provided outside the United States or to contra provided outside the United States. I will promptly notif	ve reviewed, understand, and will abide by the Governor's Executive DJFS for this grant or any other agreement will be used to purchase ct with a sub-grantee(s) who will use the funds to purchase services by ODJFS if there is a change in the location where any of the services ng this on behalf of a company, business, or organization, I hereby ification on behalf of that entity.
Signature Diocese of Youngstown Catholic Charities Corp. Entity Name	Date 21, 2014 144 West Wood St. Address (Principal place of business)
Mary Ellen Andersen Printed name of individual authorized	Youngstown, OH 44503 City, State, Zip

to sign on behalf of entity

Locations where services will be performed by Grantee

Catholic Charities of Ashtabula County 4200 Park Avenue – 3rd Floor

4200 Park Avenue – 3rd Flo Ashtabula, Ohio 44004 Phone: 440-992-2121

Fax: 440-992-5974

Catholic Charities Regional Agency

319 West Rayen Avenue Youngstown, Ohio 44502 Phone: 330-744-3320

Fax: 330-744-3677

175 Laird Avenue NE - 3rd Floor

Warren, Ohio 44483 Phone: 330-393-4254 Fax: 330-393-4050

115 East Washington Street

Lisbon, Ohio 44432 Phone: 330-420-0845 Fax: 330-420-0873

Catholic Charities Serving Portage and Stark Counties

206 West Main Street Ravenna, Ohio 44266 Phone: 330-297-7745 Fax: 330-297-7763

800 Market Avenue North Canton, Ohio 44702 Phone: 330-491-0896

Fax: 330-491-1298

Locations where state data will be stored, accessed, tested, maintained or backed-up by Grantee

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206 West Main Street Ravenna, Ohio 44266 Phone: 330-297-7745 Fax: 330-297-7763

800 Market Avenue North Canton, Ohio 44702 Phone: 330-491-0896 Fax: 330-491-1298 Internal Revenue Service P.O. Box 2508 Cincinnati, OH 45201 **Department of the Treasury**

Date: June 12, 2013

Person to Contact:
Roger Meyer ID# 0110429
Toll Free Telephone Number:
877-829-5500

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops 3211 4th Street, NE Washington, DC 20017-1194

Employer Identification Number: 53-0196617

Group Exemption Number: 0928

Dear Sir/Madam:

This responds to your June 5, 2013, request for information regarding the status of your group tax exemption.

Our records indicate that you were issued a determination letter in March 1946, that you are currently exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, and are not a private foundation within the meaning of section 509(a) of the Code because you are described in sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(i).

With your request, you provided a copy of the Official Catholic Directory for 2013, which includes the names and addresses of the agencies and instrumentalities and the educational, charitable, and religious institutions operated by the Roman Catholic Church in the United States, its territories, and possessions that are subordinate organizations under your group tax exemption. Your request indicated that each subordinate organization is a non-profit organization, that no part of the net earnings thereof inures to the benefit of any individual, and that no substantial part of their activities is for promotion of legislation. You have further represented that none of your subordinate organizations is a private foundation under section 509(a), although all subordinates do not all share the same sub-classification under section 509(a). Based on your representations, the subordinate organizations in the Official Catholic Directory for 2013 are recognized as exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Code under GEN 0928.

Donors may deduct contributions to you and your subordinate organizations as provided in section 170 of the Code. Bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts to them or for their use are deductible for federal estate and gifts tax purposes if they meet the applicable provisions of section 2055, 2106, and 2522 of the Code.

Subordinate organizations under a group exemption do not receive individual exemption letters. Most subordinate organizations are not separately listed in Publication 78 or the EO Business Master File. Donors may verify that a subordinate organization is included

in your group exemption by consulting the *Official Catholic Directory*, the official subordinate listing approved by you, or by contacting you directly. IRS does not verify the inclusion of subordinate organizations under your group exemption. *See* IRS Publication 4573, *Group Exemption*, for additional information about group exemptions.

Each subordinate organization covered in a group exemption should have its own EIN. Each subordinate organization must use its own EIN, not the EIN of the central organization, in all filings with IRS.

If you have any questions, please call us at the telephone number shown in the heading of this letter.

Sincerely.

Cindy Thomas

Manager, Exempt Organizations

Determinations

PROGRAM AND SERVICE SITE LOCATIONS

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Ohio Parenting and Pregnancy Program Grant <u>APPENDIX A</u> <u>TECHNICAL APPLICATION</u>

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Program	Assurances	

Please affirm that the following statements and true and accurate. Affix the appropriate signature where indicated. The application will not be considered complete without the required signature and shall be disqualified from consideration.

We the undersigned assure that our Agency:

- Will not charge pregnant women and parents or other relatives caring for children twelve months of age or younger a fee for any services received;
- Is not involved in or associated with any abortion activities, including providing abortion counseling or referrals to abortion clinics, performing abortion-related medical procedures, or engaging in pro-abortion advertising;
- 3. Is physically and financially separate from any entity, or component of an entity, that engages in abortion activities;
- 4. Will only subcontract with entities that are physically and financially separate from any entity, or component of an entity, that engages in abortion activities;
- 5. Will not discriminate in its provision of services on the basis of race, religion, color, age, marital status, national origin, disability, or gender; and,
- 6. Will comply with the requirement of 5101.804 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Agency Name:	Diocese	of	Youngstown	Catholic	Charities	Corp.
Printed Name of	Director/CI	EO:	Mary Eller	Anderse	1	
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Mary Ellen Andersen President

Affirmation of Program Lead's Ohio Residency

Catholic Charities Regional Agency 319 West Rayen Avenue Youngstown, Ohio 44502 (330) 744-3320 This statement is to formally verify that the Program Lead for the Ohio Parenting and Pregnancy Program Grant resides in the State of Ohio.

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MARY EUEN ANDERSEN Program Lead's Printed Name

Witness's Signature

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